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SENIORS THINK BIG



Essentially New England



The essence of New England may be found in many things: a graceful wayside elm, a steep-pitched farmhouse roof, a white spire over a village green, a "down East" lobster boat. But nothing says New England with the authority of that picturesque landmark — the covered bridge.

High in the red and gold hills of Vermont is this bridge . . . picture of peace and strength, the tracery of its latticed timbers mirrored in the waters below. Occasionally a horse clops and thunders across it, or a motor goes booming through its dappled shadows. Now . . . a foot traveler's echoing footsteps — then silence. So has the covered bridge stood and served since Colonial days, strong and enduring as New England itself.

First National Stores, too, are essentially New England — in character, policy and tradition — a policy and tradition of finest foods at lowest prices. First National is proud of the ever-expanding part it has taken in New England life. And, you may be sure, in the years to come First National will continue to serve in the same friendly, reliable New England way!





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ALUMNI DAY

Friday, June 10, 1960. Mass, Alumni Hall, 11:30. Anniversary Luncheons, Lyons Hall, 12:30. B.C. vs. H.C., Baseball at 3:00 P.M. Social Hour, 5:00 - 6:00 P.M., Lyons Hall. Dinner, 6:00 P.M., Lyons Hall.

ALUMNI FUND

Senior Class challenges Alumni . . . Hard hitting, well organized program in full swing . . . Alumni urged to meet this challenge . . . Cardinal praises "big thinking" of Class of '60 . . . See story on page 4.

COMMENCEMENT

Monday, June 13, 1960. Commencement exercises to be held in Alumni Stadium at 10:00 P.M. Alumni and friends invited. Class of 1935 honored guests and will act as Marshals. In event of rain, ceremonies will be held in McHugh Forum and admission will be by ticket only.

THE COVER

Boston College's newest alumni, the Class of 1960 launches campaign to raise largest class gift in the history of the college. Seniors' plan in full swing. See story on page 4.



editor's

faculty

Very Rev. Michael P. Walsh, S.J., President of Boston College has announced the appointment of two members of the faculty to the rank of Professor.

The new professors are MARIE S. ANDREWS of Watertown from the School of Nursing and J. EDWARD COLLINS of Brighton from the Law School.

Mrs. Andrews has been a member of the Boston College faculty since 1948 and is a nationally recognized expert in rehabilitation nursing, having served on numerous national, regional and local advisory boards concerned with health and welfare.

She was a National Chairman for the Nursing Advisory Committee for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis; a past President, District 5 of the Massachusetts State Nurses Association and the author of numerous articles on rehabilitation nursing.

At present Mrs. Andrews is Chairman, Department of Nursing of the Boston College Graduate School and President of the Massachusetts State Nurses Association.

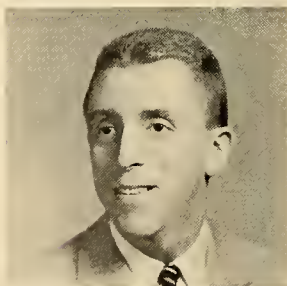
On May 22nd, the Guild of St. Camillus will present its 1960 Nurses Award to Mrs. Andrews in recognition of her outstanding work in the nursing field.

Professor Collins, who is a graduate of Boston College and the Boston College Law School, has been a member of the faculty since 1957, having previously taught at the Catholic University Law School.

He is a member of the American, Massachusetts and International Bar Associations, the American Law Institute, the American Association of University Professors and holds the rank of Commander in the Naval Reserve.

In addition to the above appointments, Fr. Walsh also announced the following; appointed as Associate Professors were: LEONARD R. CASPER (English), WILLIAM M. DALY (History), WALTER J. FIMIAN, JR. (Biology), RICHARD E. HUGHES (English), DONALD B. SANDS (English), REV. WILLIAM D. SULLIVAN, S.J. (Biology), and JOHN J. WALSH (Education); appointed as Assistant Professors were: FLORENCE T. BRICKETT (Nursing), PHYLLIS V. BROMWELL (Nursing), ANTONETTE E. DILORETO (Education Business), STUART B. MARTIN (Philosophy), and REV. RICHARD W. ROUSSEAU, S.J. (Theology).

WALTER G. LANGLOIS, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Modern Languages has been awarded a fellowship by the Ford Foundation for East Asian Studies, and will pursue further language research work at Harvard University this summer.



Walter G. Langlois

Winners of Faculty Fellowship Awards for 1960-61 are Associate Professor JOHN R. BETTS of the History Department for research on the life and times of P. T. Barnum; Professor MAURICE J. QUINLAN, JR. of the English Department for a study on the religion of Samuel Johnson; Associate Professor M. KAMIL DZIEWANOWSKI of the History Department for research covering intergration in East Europe and Professor ANDRE J. DeBETHUNE of the Chemistry Department for research in Thermodynamics. Professor DeBethune has also recently been awarded a Guggenheim Fellowship in Chemistry and will continue his research work at Yale University and Cambridge University, England.

Four members of the Class of 1960 were among recent recipients of national honors: named as Woodrow Wilson Fellows were: JOSEPH L. TRIBBLE of Malden who is also a Scholar of the College; EDMUND C. TOOMEY of South Boston and JAMES A. W. HEFFERNAN of Milton. These fellowships are awarded for graduate studies designed for future college teachers, an area in which we face a

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critical problem with today's educational growth. The fourth member of the Class of 1960, THOMAS BIRMINGHAM of Milford has been awarded a National Science Foundation Fellowship, and he will further his studies at Harvard University, majoring in Nuclear Physics.

Speaking before more than 1,400 Alumni on Loetare Sunday, MSGR. JOSEPH E. SCHIEDER, Director of the Youth Department of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, stated that the responsibility for the moral training of the young boys of the nation rests squarely upon the shoulders of their fathers. He urged the fathers present and all future fathers never to close the door of communication between father and son, and to answer their son's questions on life truthfully and honestly. Chairmen WALTER SULLIVAN and Toastmaster DANIEL HOLLAND of the Class of 1935 did an excellent job and have received nothing but the highest compliments for this great annual affair.



Cardinal Cushing

REV. STANLEY J. BEZUSZKA, S.J. Chairman of the Mathematics Department announced that the college had received a \$15,400 grant from the National Science Foundation for an in-service institute for high school teachers of mathematics. Fr. Bezusko announced that this award will cover fifty teachers, who will be instructed in the modern concepts of math at Saturday sessions from September 1960 through June 1961.

Beginning in September 1960, the School of Education will establish a special course for "exceptional children." These classes have been planned as an important part of the education and research for teachers in this field and will be conducted in half day sessions in Compion Hall. The children must be between the ages of six to eleven, trainable and educable, and sufficiently developed both mentally and socially to profit from the training offered. Parents must provide transportation. Further information may be obtained by contacting DR. KATHERINE COTTER at the School of Education.

Under the guidance of REV. CHARLES F. DONOVAN, S.J., Dean of the School of Education, the Boston College Summer School will host upwards of 2,000 students in various courses, institutes and workshops during the summer sessions beginning June 27th. The courses will cover such diverse subjects as Psychological Testing, Industrial Spectrography, training for teaching in Mental Retardation, Pre-College Reading and Elementary Education. Specific information on these and other courses offered may be obtained by writing the School of Education.

On April 25th, the new School of Nursing Building, Cardinal Cushing Hall, was formally opened for classes. This beautiful new structure, the gift of RICHARD CARDINAL CUSHING of the Class of 1917, will have the most modern classrooms, diet kitchens and laboratories available for the complete training of future nurses. All Alumni are extended a cordial invitation to inspect this newest campus building at their earliest convenience.



Rev. C. F. Donovan, S.J.

On Saturday, May 7th, at the Sheraton Plaza Hotel, REV. TERENCE L. CONNOLLY, S.J. was presented the Eire Society's Gold Medal Award for 1960. Fr. Connolly is considered one of the foremost authorities on Irish Literature and History, and is the Librarian for Special Collections at Boston College.

The geographical distribution of students of both undergraduate and graduate levels now studying at Boston College, who come from outside the United States, has now reached a high of twenty-eight countries represented.

Japan and Canada lead the list with seven students each from these countries, closely followed by Jamaica, B.W.I., with five students, Puerto Rico with four. Then ranging all the way from Argentina to Vietnam.

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ALUMNI CHALLENGED

THE PROBLEM

"I've just finished paying Boston College four years tuition—why give them any more money."

"Haven't they made enough on us during four years." "Sure, I love B.C. but I don't owe them anything." "Yes, I want B.C. to be the best, but all they have to do is take in more students—They make a profit on each, and this will give them more money for development" . . . These were typical replies when a small group of Seniors met last fall to consider the question of, "What could the Class of 1960 leave to their college for a gift upon graduation?"



SENIORS SHOW THE WAY WITH \$75,000⁰⁰

The Committee was thoroughly confused and puzzled. If this be true, then it must be typical of all private colleges and universities. Then, why do alumni give to their college? — What is the reason for certain corporations matching the gifts that employees give to colleges? — Why do corporations set up foundation giving? — How can colleges appeal to parents of students to give? All most confusing to say the least.

Education has been defined as "the pursuit of truth" and these Seniors wanted some answers. Alumni Association President, Joseph McKenney, '27, John Griffin, '35, Alumni Fund Chairman, and Walter G. Boudreau, '43, Alumni Association Executive Secretary met with this Committee of Seniors at Alumni Hall, and were confronted with all these questions. Obviously, the wisest approach was a full explanation of the financial theory of private education, in other words, "Why is Alumni Giving Necessary?"

THE FACTS

Of the total cost of expenses of private colleges and universities, approximately 60% is met by the tuition payments. The other 40% is met by various gifts from Alumni, Businesses, Foundations, Grants, and friends. The latter four sources of gifts, are, however based on the amount and/or percentage of those Alumni who give.

Generous Alumni giving or a high percentage of Alumni giving will insure large and frequent contributions from other gift sources. To this explanation, a Senior Committeeman's retort is — "Well then, the solution is simple—raise tuition to cover the operating expenses."

All right, let's *do* just that and see what we come up with. The tuition at Boston College would then become approximately \$1,500.00 per year, Harvard and M.I.T. about \$2,500.00 to \$3,000, Boston University in the vicinity of \$2,000, and Tufts and Brandeis between \$2,000 and \$2,500. The ob-

vious conclusion:—higher education is for the *wealthy* only. (This doesn't even consider the necessity of expansion of a great demand for higher education.) But then again, with higher education for only those who can afford these high tuitions, there would be little demand for expansion as fewer could afford this higher education. And what would that mean in our struggle for survival against the suppressed world?

THE ANSWERS

The Senior Committeeman spoke again — "Well, that won't work, but before we go on, those tuitions you quoted are a revelation. Why are B.C.'s tuitions so much lower than the other schools named?"

This is primarily due to the contributions of 135 Jesuits (the largest such community in the world). These followers of Loyola give to you the difference of our tuition and the other schools.

While on this subject, it is certainly worth mentioning the contribution of the Lay Faculty to higher education. Much has been said and written about the contribution of Faculty members to higher education. The conclusions of most writers on this subject and committees who have studied this matter is — Faculty members contribute the difference of the salary they should receive and what they actually receive. This is estimated to be \$3,500.00 per year by each teacher.

Many hours were consumed at this meeting and this subject pursued in many directions. However, the core of the discussion, in attempting to be brief, is stated above.

After these many hours, this Senior Committee had the answers to their many perplexing questions but then came the big step — “What can we do to help?”

THE PROGRAM

A program for them to consider was set forth — As you are considering this Class Gift and the Hundreth Anniversary of Boston College which will be celebrated three years after your graduation, why not have your class pledge \$100,000 for the 100th year. After a few moments of head shaking, gasping for breath, and a blank expression, a Senior was heard to utter, “How can we accomplish this?”

This year Boston College will award over 1,000 Bachelor degrees. If each Senior pledges \$100 apiece, contributing \$10.00 this year, \$20.00 next, \$30.00 the third year, and \$40.00 during the Hundredth year, 1963, — the amount of \$100,000 will be reached.

After some reflection and discussion, the conclusion was, “We would certainly be happy to pledge \$100 each because we have been privileged to be a part of this discussion but how can other Seniors be sold?” The answer— As we have been three voices attempting to cry in the wilderness, then you 20 or 25 Seniors must do likewise. Build a team that will go among your classmates and “spread the word.”

THE WORK

And so it was begun. Many meetings were held, a Chairman and Treasurer appointed, various committees formed, publicity was issued, pamphlets, brochures, letters, envelopes addressed, pledge cards designed and printed, and more meetings were held. Enthusiasm grew with each meeting. From the original meeting, this Committee took up the program, and, by their own ingenuity, efforts, talents and drive organized a complete and effective campaign.

Sub-Committees were formed and “schooled.” When completed, an organization of 176 Agents was enlisted, thoroughly educated as to the mission, and willingly accepted the task of selling no more than ten classmates.

On March 25, 1960, His Eminence Richard Cardinal Cushing, happily ac-

IT CAN BE DONE

cepted the invitation to kick-off this unprecedented type of campaign. His advice to “think big” is certainly a byword of the Class of 1960. They are not only thinking big, but acting big.

THE RESULTS

From this Kick-off the team went to work. The reaction was explosive. Most of the team signed their pledges immediately. One member who had set aside \$100 — for his Easter vacation paid \$100.00 in cash, and pledged an additional \$100.00. A group of students of the School of Nursing had been inadvertently overlooked. Almost all have signed their pledges. All wanted to be a part. The Committee wanted to include the Evening School — but how to contact and organize them. Before the problem could be solved, members of the Evening School came forth to offer their help.

The Class is rapidly approaching its goal. Come June, the Class of 1960 will have succeeded in a program, that, to our knowledge, has never been accomplished in any other College or University in the country. Thank you, Class of 1960, for showing us the way.

CLASS OF '60 CENTENARY GIFT COMMITTEE

Seated (left to right) Joyce Dwyer (Sch. of Nurs.), Patricia Jane Hall (Sch. of Nurs.), Thomas J. May, Chairman (A&S), Donna Mason (Sch. of Ed.), Albert Hyland (A&S). Standing (left to right) Thomas J. Rattigan (CBA), Edmund P. G. Kelley, Treasurer (Sch. of Ed.), Joseph Carey (CBA), Robert F. X. Hart (A&S), William Cahill (A&S), Alan McLean (A&S), Joseph Resha (A&S).



B. C. SPORTS

by Charles Harvey, '49



Captain Eddie Quinn and Coach Bill Gilligan admire winner's trophy from 1st Annual Greater Boston Collegiate Track Meet.

Track

Bill Gilligan's track team, a giant in heart and spirit but hardly overlaid with record-breakers, has continued to strike at opponents whose forces are near overwhelming.

Back in December the Eagle runners and weightmen trounced MIT in the Rockwell Cage, swept the annual "Y" meet at the Huntington Avenue YMCA, sprinted past Bowdoin and the University of Massachusetts in decisive manner.

Brown broke the spell in February, but then the Eagles came up with one of its finest efforts. In the first annual Greater Boston Collegiate track meet, held in the Tufts' cage, B.C. emerged triumphant and a victory very sweet to the B.C. runners. The Eagles totaled 43 points to Boston University's 40. Tufts ran third with 36 points.

This victory will stand as the high-point of the year for the B.C. team.

Gilligan's group continued with a close, but well-deserved victory over Bowdoin and Amherst in April. B.C. scored 64½ points to Bowdoin's 63. Amherst was a way back with 37½ points.

Maine gave the Eagles a sound beating — 94-41 — at Orono later in April. But the loss was tempered by the individual performance of Bob O'Leary, B.C.'s outstanding distance runner and academic scholar. O'Leary ran a 4:18.8 mile to set a meet record at Orono and later established another meet record in the two mile run with an effort of 9:38.5.

The Eagles ran last in a tri-meet with Boston University and Holy Cross at White Stadium late in April. Holy Cross won the meet with 82 points, B.U. was second with 49 while B.C. scored only 34 points. Again, though, Bob O'Leary came through as a double winner in the mile and two mile runs. His winning time in the mile, 4:18.5, was just one second off the meet record.

In the freshman competition at this meet, B.C.'s yearlings scored a victory with 66½ points to H.C.'s 64½. B.U.'s frosh totaled 28 points.

While a number of others have been doing well for B.C., Captain Eddie Quinn and Sam Vincent are in line for special praise.

Quinn has been a consistent point-scorer in the 220 and the 440 while Vincent, who has aspirations to the Iraqi Olympic team, has come up with many points in the hurdles, broad jump and high jump.

The track team completes the season's competition with several entries in the New England at MIT May 20-21 and the IC4A meet at New York May 27-28.

Baseball

Eddie Pellagrini has come up with one of the finest B.C. baseball teams seen at the Heights in many a year.

Pitching, speed, defense and batting power combine to give B.C. its first opportunity to snare the Greater Boston championship since the Eagles won the title in 1953, first league season.

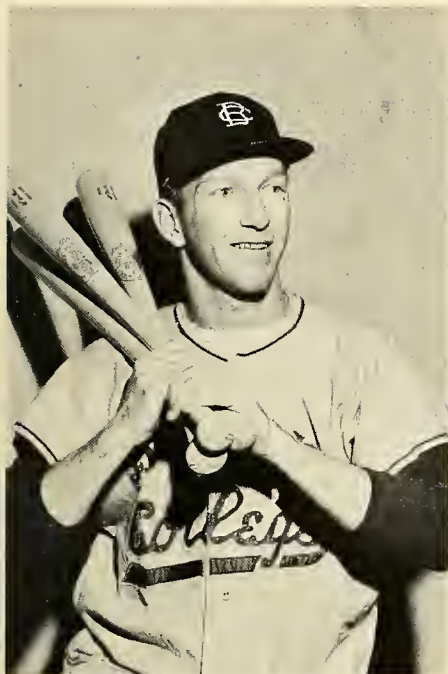
Sophomore Billy Cunis of Ashland has provided the big batting punch for the Eagles. The powerful right-handed hitter has been hitting at a .400 clip and has revived interest in the game with his long-distant drives.

Cunis has stroked three round trippers and as many doubles for the Eagle. One blast, at Northeastern, soared over the Huskies' far left field fence — only the second time this feat has ever been accomplished at N.U.'s Kent Street field. His other two homers sailed into the outer reaches of left field at the Heights — one reported to be the longest ever struck at the Heights.

Coach Pellagrini, pleased with the development and poise of this team, has a solid pitching staff that includes veterans Bob Niemic of Chicopee and Bill Robinson of Stratford, Conn. Two sophomores, Charlie Bunker of Dorchester, and Gerry Greeley of Gloucester complement the staff.

The Eagles started out with successive wins over MIT, Boston University and Brandeis before dropping a 3-4 decision to Tufts. The B.C. team bounded back for consecutive wins over Colby, Northeastern, Harvard and Providence.

A most recent opponent, Amherst, pounced on the four B.C. hurlers and ran off with a 14-5 victory at the Heights. It was one of those days when everything went wrong and nothing right. Amherst chased Niemic and Robinson and had six runs before Bunker called a halt.



The long ball slugger, B.C.'s Baseball Captain Bob Martin.



B.C.'s Baseball Coach Eddie Pellagrini.

FOOTBALL FORECAST

FRANK ROBOTTI (Fullback) "We have more depth this year and furthermore the freshman team of 1959 seems to have more speed, which should be a great help to our offense in 1960. If the spirit of the fans continues as it has been in the past, I think we will give all our opponents on the 1960 schedule a real run for their money."

RON DYER (Halfback) "There seems to be better depth and a greater amount of 200 lb. or better players on this present team. An interesting note is that only about 14 players made it from the 1958 teams, but so far every freshman on the 1959 team is still in on scholarship. This is definitely a good omen."

LOU KIROUAC (End) "This 1960 team shows more depth in each position than the 1959 team. The freshmen coming up this year are very good and they boast more weight than freshmen teams of previous years. Barring all injuries, we should have one of the best seasons that Boston College has ever had in football."

JOHN AMABILE (Quarterback) "This year's squad is bigger and has more depth than the 1959 team. As far as I see, we will take Army and Navy and win more than our share of the remaining ball games. (Wins 10—Losses 0)!"

LARRY EISENHAUER (End and Tackle) "Last year we had good players but no substitutes to back up the injured players; this year we have two or three units of equal ability ready for action this fall. With more players and better conditioning, we will not only be able to equal the efforts of our opponents, but supersede them."

B.C. came right back with five runs in the next inning but a new Amherst pitcher and a sound defensive game by the Lord Jeffs, stymied any further effort by the Eagles.

Despite this loss, the Eagles still have the opportunity to come back and gain a play-off berth for the NCAA tournament. Holy Cross, Maine and Connecticut are, in addition to B.C., the reported best in New England. This quartet could clash in a play-off early in June to determine the team that will represent New England's District I at the college world series in Omaha next month.

Football

With the spring practice for 1960 completed, Coach Ernie Hefferle is now looking forward to that first big Fall date, when on September 17, here at Alumni Stadium, the high flying Eagles of Boston College will meet the mighty Midshipmen of Navy. Many of our rabid Alumni fans are also making plans to attend many or all of the games, whether at home or in the stronghold of the foe.

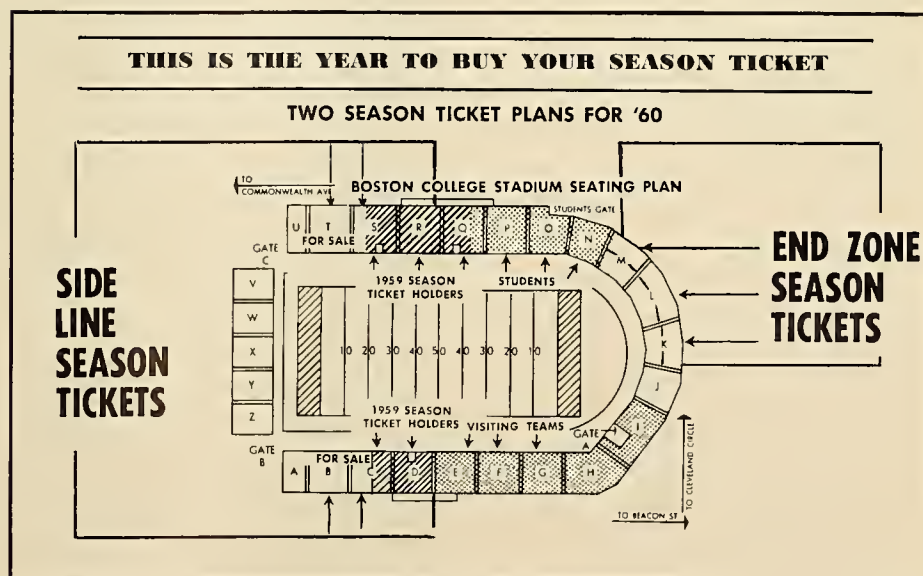
It is expected that there will be an unusually high demand for tickets this year, and with this in mind, there is reproduced on this page a facsimile of the new stadium seating plan for the 1960 season.

It will be noted that this year the Athletic Association is offering a special "End Zone Seating" plan, with seats in the upper half only of sections

M-L and K. This special offer is in addition, of course, to the regular season ticket seating plan as in past years.

Complete applications, with season and individual ticket blanks, are being readied for mailing to all Alumni in the very near future.

For Alumni interested in making the trip to Miami for the game of October 28, the Athletic Association is sponsoring a chartered flight via National Airlines Super Constellation. The trip includes 4 days and 3 nights, with three meals a day and a reserved seat in the B.C. section at the game. Additional information may be procured by contacting the Athletic Office in Roberts Center.



Rhode Island

Under the leadership of BOB WINKLER, '43 CBA, the club held the best attended Laetare Sunday Breakfast in its history, with some 90 members present. Fr. Edmond Walsh, S.J., Director of Admissions at the college was the guest speaker at the breakfast, which followed the 9:00 o'clock Mass at the Cathedral in Providence celebrated by Bishop Russell McVinney.

Trenton

As evidence of the growth of our far flung Alumni, PETER CONTARDO, '32 has begun the necessary ground work to establish a Boston College Club in Trenton, N.J. area. All interested Alumni are urged to contact him in this regard.

Berkshire County Club

At a recent meeting new officers elected include EDMUND K. LUDDY, '26 as President and RUDOLPH A. SACCO, '51 as Secretary-Treasurer. Plans are underway for Spring activities.

Northern California

News from this West Coast Club brings word of another very successful Laetare Sunday Breakfast. After Mass in the Treasure Island Naval Chapel, breakfast was held at the Sir Francis Drake Hotel. President and Mrs. GEORGE CLINTON, '38, acted as hosts; among those in attendance were Mr. & Mrs. JOHN F. GRANEY, '38; Mr. & Mrs. CHARLES C. BUTLER, '37, Mr. R. X. GIGGIN, '51, Mr. & Mrs. EUGENE SULLIVAN, '52; Mr. & Mrs. DAN FINNEGAN, '50; Mr. & Mrs. FRANK WHALEN, '53; Mr. & Mrs. FRANK HARVEY, '48; Dr. & Mrs. PAUL F. FLYNN, '45; Mr. & Mrs. JOHN F. ROAKE, '41; Mr. VINCENT R. MORAN, '51 and Major MARTIN F. BARRETT, U.S.M.C.

Buffalo

Another newcomer to the growing list of Boston College Clubs. Just getting organized under the able Direction of GORDON GANNON, JR. '54, who maintains law offices in the Brisbane Building, the Club will cover the far western New York state area.

Taunton

Further evidence of interest and growth in B. C. Clubs was shown recently when a group of alumni led by DR. ROBERT MEALY held its first organizational meeting. Plans are being made for the first club affair to take place early in June, with Coach Ernie Hefferle as speaker. Those present at this first meeting were REV. CHARLES A. POIRIER, ROBERT DRAY, DR. WILLIAM DONOHUE, DR. WILLIAM DAWSON, EDWARD CAMERON, JOSEPH NATES, WILLIAM ADAMS, AND EDMUND BRENNAN.

New York City

In its final event of the season, the Annual Rector's Reception will take place on Thursday, May 19th at the Tavern on the Green, Central Park. Fr. Michael P. Walsh, S.J. will be the guest of honor accompanied by Walter G. Boudreau, '43, Alumni Secretary.

Syracuse

President MICHAEL FINN, '32, announces that the reception for Fr. Rector will take place on Wednesday, May 18th at the Corinthian Club, 960 James St. at 6:30.

Fr. ROBERT F. GREWEN, S.J., President of LeMoyne College and Fr. RAYMOND KENNEDY, S.J., Club Chaplain, will also be honored guests at the affair. ARTHUR GRIMM, '20, will be chairman for the evening reception.

B. C. CLUBS

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John D. Crimmings, '37, 606 Kenwood Avenue, Delmar

Paul R. Hinchey, M.D., '28, 355 Essex St., Salem

Francis E. Harrington, LL.B., '35, University of Portland

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St. Louis, Missouri

George F. Clinton, '38, 940 Holly Rd., Belmont, Calif.

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George W. Flavin, '35, 266 W. Squantum St., West Quincy

Joseph A. Cancelliere, '45, 31 Federal St., Agawam

Michael J. Rock, '25, 5 Laurel Court, Burlington

John F. Barrett, '31, 246 Whitmoor Terrace, Silver Spring, Md.

Nathaniel J. Hasenfus, '22, 15 Kirk Street

Robert J. Ferroli, '52, 3139A North 14th St., Milwaukee

Robert C. Maher, '52, CBA, 8 Hadwen Lane

News from the Classes



'14 JOHN S. KEOHANE 1147 Tremont Street, Boston

Born to Father PAT DAWSON'S niece Mrs. Helen (King) '56 and Bill Kennedy '56 their first daughter and second child, Pamela Elizabeth, November 14, 1959. Born to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kapples Jr., September 17, 1959 a son, John W. Kapples III. Congratulations to JACK KAPPLES on the birth of his first grandchild.

We were pleased to have Father JOE BUSAM S.J., head of the Biology Department at the College of the Holy Cross with our class at the Varsity Club Football Dinner.

Condolences to Msgr. TIM GLEASON on the death of his sister Katherine on October 27, 1959, after a long illness. R.I.P.

Born to Charles and Mrs. Barbara (Keohane) Houlihan October 23, 1959 a daughter, their third child and JOHN KEOHANE'S sixteenth grandchild.

In Memoriam: Died January 3, 1960, Rt. Rev. WILLIAM J. DESMOND, Pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Jamaica Plain, who was also a graduate of B.C. High with our class of 1910 as was his brother Dr. Joe. A loyal and devoted classmate and alumnus, he will be greatly missed. R.I.P. At the funeral were Msgr. BOB BARRY and Msgr. TIM GLEASON and Fathers FRED DEASY and ED McLAUGHLIN. Also in attendance were: JIM BRENNAN, DR. FRANK DEVLIN, FRED DOYLE, TOM FINNEGAN, JACK KAPPLES, BILL O'SULLIVAN, ED SULLIVAN and JOHN KEOHANE.

Died January 8, Rt. Rev. THOMAS F. DEVLIN, Pastor of St. Anthony's Church, Cohasset. Monsignor was a member of 1910 High Class.

'16 JAMES L. O'BRIEN 41 Pond Circle, Jamaica Plain 30

We were all saddened to hear of the deaths of FATHER LEO SULLIVAN and JOE SCOLPONETI. In our Anniversary Year Book, FATHER LEO commenting on his acting days wrote, "Joe Scolponeti died beautifully under the direction of the writer." I'm sure, FATHER SULLIVAN was waiting to welcome JOE to Heaven.

FRANK KOCHER is now recuperating at home but promises to be at our next banquet. FRANK has real class spirit and intense loyalty to Boston College.

DR. HEFFERNAN tells me that DR. BRUNNING is quite ill and has been sick for a long time.

Kindly remember in your prayers GEORGE KEHOE'S brother and FATHER LOGUE'S sister.

'17 THOMAS D. CRAVEN 107 Barrett St., Needham 92

JOHN FLYNN who retired some months ago from Nairn-Congoleum after a long service with that company is planning his annual trip to Florida. He and MARTY HIGGINS attended the Testimonial Dinner to the 1959 Football Team.

JOE DEE suffered the loss of his brother John in September. The sym-

pathy of the Class is extended his family. Joe reports that his daughter Deborah who has been teaching art in local schools will be married at St. Joseph's Church, Medford, in May to Maurice Curran, Fordham Law graduate, a practicing attorney in New York.

JACK DOYLE who did such a remarkable job last year on the Alumni Fund Drive reports that son John is with Rohm and Haas in Detroit and that son Dick is with IBM in Hartford.

FR. MAURICE DULLEA, S.J. reports that his mother, aged 97, living with his brother Ed in Milton is maintaining good health and is quite alert mentally.

BO MAHONEY is quite pleased that his youngest son, Michael, a junior at BCH, is making an excellent record at the school and has as one of his teachers FR. BOB SHERIDAN, S.J.

FRANK HEANUE, still in the advertising department of the Boston Globe, is looking forward to the late spring when his daughter, Barbara, will take her final vows in the Order of the Cenacle in Rome.

MAURICE MURPHY won't look the same when next you see him. He will be without his old pipe.

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M. FRANCIS NOLAN
17 So. Normandy Ave.,
Cambridge

Condolences of the class extended to the family of Rev. C. JOSEPH BERNARD who died recently. Report has been received from DAN HARKINS on the problems of foreign aid in LAOS. DAN is now stationed at the American Embassy in Ceylon.

Have you made your fund contribution? Now is the time!

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FRANCIS J. ROLAND
10 Homewood Rd., W. Roxbury

REVEREND MARTIN P. HARNEY, S.J., Class President, and REVEREND EDWARD T. DOUGLAS, S.J., Class Treasurer, are making plans for the class reunion in June. A committee under the leadership of BASIL KELLEY is diligently at work and meets regularly at Basil's home with the gracious Mrs. Kelley as hostess. Last year's reunion was the best in forty!!! years.

DAN SHEA continues to strive tirelessly at Boston Latin School to develop embryonic nuclear physicists.

ANN HANLEY DONELAN, daughter of our JIM, recently migrated to the Boston area and her classmate, JOANNE ROLAND MCCARTHY, introduced her son, age 15 months and a native of Montgomery, Alabama, to a New England Christmas.

FRED and FRED A SHEA made a Christmas visit to Boston to escape the frigid climate of Washington, D.C.

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J. ROBERT BRAWLEY
33 Pomfret St. West Roxbury 32

The FORTIETH anniversary of the class will be here in June and Judge ELIAS SHAMON as treasurer of the Class Fund and CHARLIE MCGILL, chairman of the 40th anniversary of the class are anxious to hear from all pledges of the Forthly Thieves. ROBERT E. "Pop" PYNE is the new class secretary which means that he now has a title to go with all the work he has done through the years for '20. The class officers are greatly indebted to ED CROWLEY and BILL PASHBY for finding two lost members. Bill located DAN LEARY and Ed succeeded in locating members of ED CHANYRAGNE'S family and found that Ed had passed away over two years ago. Requiescat in Pace. Good news is the return home of PEG O'CONNELL, wife of our Bob. Peg has had a long session with the doctors and the hospital and is on the recovery road.

JOHN BRENNAN has joined the healthy group of '20 by returning to good shape after a long session with the hospital. According to letters, we expect FRED DONAHER from Roanoke, Va. and JOHN LINEHAN from Washington to be at the Heights in June.

Congratulations to our clergy classmates who have recently been appointed to new parishes, MSGR. McNAMARA (after many years as Director of the Boys' Guidance Center) is now pastor of Our Lady of Mercy in Belmont; FR. HALEY to Parish Priest of St. Mary's

in Wrentham; FR. MCGINLEY to Parish Priest of Our Lady of the Lake, Monponsett.

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GORDON F. IRONS
9 Emmonsdale Rd., W. Roxbury

Monsignor WALTER J. FURLONG is in charge of the erection of a new elementary school and parish center in his parish, Our Lady Help of Christians, in Newton. The work is expected to be finished by the end of the school year.

Classmates who attended the recent B.C. Ice Show were JERRY MAHONEY, RALPH MONKS, JOHN J. McGRATH, ARTHUR DONOVAN, and your reporter, who was a member of the Ice Show Committee.

Congratulations to HUGH O'REGAN, who is now a grandfather, HUGH'S daughter, Mary Theresa, B.C. School of Education, '56, now Mrs. Daniel J. Looney, gave birth to a daughter on December 8. The baby is also named Mary Theresa.

HUGH'S son, Father Hugh is at St. Margaret's Church in Lowell.

HUGH'S daughter, Alice, is teaching for classmate BILL CUNNINGHAM in the Abraham Lincoln School in Boston.

Congratulations to MORGAN RYAN, also a grandfather. His son, Morgan, and the former Mary Corcoran of West Roxbury are the proud parents of John Kevin, who was born last August.

Your reporter is likewise a grandfather. His son, FRANCIS, B.C., '51, and the former Joyce Heffernan of Syracuse are the proud parents of Joseph Francis, born December 4 in Silver Spring, Maryland.

Class Supervisor, JOE DOYLE, will be glad to forward any donations to the current Loyalty Fund Drive.

The sympathy of the Class is extended to JIM GOOKIN, whose brother, Rev. Vincent A. Gookin, S.J., passed away last October at Weston College.

The sympathy of the Class is also extended to WALTER CREMEN, whose brother, John, passed away recently.

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NATHANIEL J. HASENFUS
15 Kirk St., West Roxbury 32

I was one of the very fortunate classmates who were inspired by the beautiful ceremonies of the Consecration of our beloved class member, Bishop THOMAS J. RILEY, at the Cathedral on December 21. We offer our sincere congratulations to our new Auxiliary Bishop... and as Cardinal O'Connell so cogently used to say, "Ad multos annos." Taking part in the Consecration were '22 men: Rt. Rev. JAMES DOYLE, and Fathers LEONARD McMAHON, WILLIAM LONG-LEO FLYNN, THOMAS SWEENEY, JOSEPH MEREDITH, JOHN CONNORS and WILLIAM CONLEY. Father FRANK MORRISSEY was down from Maine. Other classmates that I met at the Consecration were ARTHUR MORRISSEY, PAUL DUFFLY, WILLIAM CARTY and CHARLES COLLINS. It was a wonderful day for all of us.

The hockey season found perennial loyal rooters LEONARD HEALY and Father JOHN CONNORS at all games. Needless to say, I'm happy to attend sports events once more. WALTER McSWINEY is there, too, for his son Jim is a stalwart on the freshmen six. Jim played at Latin School and is doing well for the freshmen. BILL ELBERY, too, is a proud 22-er, for Bill Junior is varsity hockey manager... other classmates who have sons at Boston College

are legion. Among the freshmen are the sons of JAMES COLLINS and THOMAS GILES... and I do not know how many more. Down at the Boston College-Brown hockey game in Providence, I met RAY DRUGAN. His Rhode Island license plate—BC22—attracts much attention in the Ivy-Dominican stronghold.

Dr. WALTER BUSAM is Dean of Men at the Worcester State Teachers College. Father JOHN O'CONNELL, our erstwhile teacher at Boston College High and Boston College, celebrated his 50th anniversary as a Jesuit in October... among his guests was our beloved Rev. JOHN A. RISACHER, S.J., from Durham, N.C.... LEONARD DOLAN has been promoted in City Service in Boston... I had a letter from Mrs. Joseph Meigs who informed me that her husband, our old organic chemistry professor passed away at his home in Sharon, Conn. on November 26. Joe was a patent lawyer and a very successful pioneer in plastics, with several patents to his credit... Dr. FRANK BUCKLEY was quoted by Wendell Coltin in the Boston Herald for his sponsoring the Aetna Drivotester as a real aid in safe driving... GEORGE KEARNS has the grand total of 16 grandchildren. His own family of ten children is one to be proud of. His youngest daughter is now a Notre Dame Postulant, Sister Josephine Louise; and his youngest son is a new Franciscan at Callicor, N.Y. Rev. LEO FLYNN'S new church, St. Jude's in Norfolk, is beautiful... Father TOM FOLEY takes justifying pride in his nephew, Billy Daley, whirlwind wing on Coach Kelley's team... Sympathy of the class is extended to JOHN MEADE on the recent passing of his wife, to Dr. GEORGE WINCHES-TER on the passing of his mother... and to the family of our late classmate, GERARD DEELEY, whose wife was stricken at the Ice Capades and passed away almost immediately. Mrs. Deeley was observing her 58th birthday with her son Gerard, Junior, when she suffered the fatal illness. May they rest in peace.

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MRS. FRANCIS L. FORD
9 McKane St., Dorchester

Congratulations to Fr. PAUL DOHERTY in his appointment as Parish priest of the newly established St. Irene's in Carlisle.

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EDWARD J. O'LEARY
22 Bailey Road, Arlington, 74

It is sad to report the passing of classmate JAMES F. P. HOURIHAN. Frank died on January 5 and was buried from a Solemn Requiem High Mass at St. Theresa's Church, West Roxbury on January 8. To his family are extended sincere condolences.

Hearty congratulations to the new Federal Judge, ANTHONY JULIAN. Judge Julian, elevated to the bench by President Eisenhower, was sworn in last September in the Federal Court in Boston before a packed court room and in the reception lines were many of his classmates to felicitate Anthony on his well-deserved promotion.

From Chicago comes word of the recent appointment of JACK FITZGERALD as Cook County Court Administrator. For this important and exacting job Jack was given a two year leave of absence from his position as Dean of the Chicago University Law School.

Travel has broadened CHARLIE MONAHAN considerably. His recent trip to Europe with Mrs. Monahan has added substantially to his not-too-sparse girth.

JOHN J. FARRELL, JR. '50

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And GENE GIROUX acts the diligent pastor in importuning the class to be generous in the annual collection—The Alumni Fund that is.

This year marks the Thirty-Fifth anniversary of this Class' graduation from the Heights and your committee is very busy planning a full complement of events to commemorate it fittingly.

'26 WILLIAM J. CUNNINGHAM

40 Tennyson St., West Roxbury

FR. JOE BRENNAN has been made a pastor, leaving Sacred Heart in Watertown for St. Anthony's, Cohasset. Our best to Fr. Joe; he's as good looking as he was in college. We had another fine dinner this year, again at Frank Tallino's. Good crowd; good people.

ART MURRAY has retired from his work in the Boston School Department and is devoting all his energies to carrying on the two Funeral Parlors, in Roxbury and in West Roxbury.

Spotted a Pilot observation that classmate MSGR. HENRY O'CONNELL accompanied the Cardinal to Rome when they celebrated the 100th anniversary of the Collegio Americano del Nord. Msgr. is a rara avis at our affairs; he is at present the pastor of St. Ambrose Church in Dorchester.

ED LUDDY'S SON, young Thomas E. is finishing his Freshman year at the college, A and S. Ed is still living in North Adams. And I spotted TOM HEGARTY going by Charlestown High in April, but wasn't quick enough to catch his eye. He's sales engineer with the Trimount Bituminous Products of Everett. His boy Charles, class of '58, is a Jesuit Scholastic at Weston. The youngest, Richard, is still in high school. TOM KELLIHER has a great position with Tidewater Oil Co. as manager of exploration for domestic operations. He's been with Tidewater since 1936.

Spotted a note that FR. JEREMIAH FOLEY, pastor of St. John's in Essex, has been transferred to the Holy Redeemer parish. Big Jerry can be seen often at McHugh Forum during the hockey season. At various times we've seen, helping BOB DALEY root for his fine hockey-playing son Billy, such stalwarts as JOHNNIE DOOLEY, CHARLIE O'MALLEY, ART GORMAN, MURRAY REGAN, TOM CAVANAUGH plus others whom I've missed.

Dropped over to JOHN DORSEY'S office in February for lunch together and a visit. Didn't I hear that JUDGE CONNIE MOYNIHAN is on an exchange teaching a year at Cornell Law? We'd like some more notes from you guys. Got a note from JIM MCGILLIVRAY up in Claremont, New Hampshire—at 24 School St., if you're up that way—he told me that OWEN MURPHY dropped dead there recently. Our sympathy to his family. Jim was nice enough to get a list of all the deceased class members since 1958 for a Mass.

Remember JOHNNIE DISKIN? Finished in '27 but most of his friends were ours. For 31 years he sold at the Boston Market Terminal, and is now the Boston rep. for "The Packer," an internationally circulated newspaper of the trade. Three of his five children are in religion. Young John is a Jesuit Scholastic—B.C. 1953, doing graduate work and teaching at the School of Education, after two years at Iraq. Daughter Gertrude, School of Ed. '69, is Sister Ann Thomas, C.S.J., at Framingham. Daughter Dorothy is now a postulant at the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth, at Nazareth, Kentucky. Young

TOM DISKIN, '57, is an instructor at Army's Guided Missiles School at El Paso, Texas, where he married Ann Dwyer (School of Ed. '56) in 1958. They met in the good old cafeteria at the Heights—that's co-education for you!

The Tom Diskins have a daughter, Dorothy Anne, born in January, 1960. His oldest daughter, Patricia Diskin Rose, is a Teachers' College grad, '52, lives in Norwood and has a daughter, Mary Lou. One of Johnnie's brothers is B.C. '40 and a Paulist priest; and another, Father William P., has his own parish in South Dakota. John has reason to be proud of his family, including wife Gertrude.

So we wind up our notes again with another personal. Son Bill Jr., having finished a tour of sea duty is now stationed at the First Naval District in Boston and guess who his boss is? CAPT. TOM HERLIHY! Tom plans to leave the Navy in the summer, and to move to Paris. Young Bill had his second daughter in April, Janice Mary, and that's the sixth for Rose et ego. How're we doing? And young John, B.C. High '60 has been accepted at the College as an A & S candidate in Math, although he has also been accepted as a Navy ROTC alternate. Paul graduates from the Business School in June is going to work for the Burroughs Corporation.

'27 JOHN J. BUCKLEY

20 Dell Ave., Hyde Park, Mass.

Twenty-seven of the brothers of '27 appeared at the annual Christmas dinner held Monday, Dec. 28, at Alumni Hall. An enjoyable evening was highlighted by JOE MCKENNEY'S account of the screening process by which our new foot-

ball coach, Ernie Hefferle, was selected from scores of candidates. Those present were: PRES. FRANK SULLIVAN, TREAS. JOHN TOOMEY, MSGR. WALTER LEACH, FR. JOE McCALL, HENRY FARLEY, WILL MARNELL, DR. JOHN FOLEY, DR. JOHN CARROLL, JOE HOPKINSON, JOHN "REVERE" SULLIVAN, JOHN COSTELLO, JOE INGOLDSBY, JACK CONWAY, TOM KEEFE, TOM HEFFERNAN, JOHN HICKEY, MARTIN TIERNEY, FRANK HURLEY (all the way from New Jersey), JOE MCKENNEY, BILL OHRENBERGER, DR. TIM LYONS, LUKE McCLOSKEY, DR. TIM LYONS, LEY, DAN O'LEARY, VIN O'CONNELL, JACK DEMPSEY, and JACK BUCKLEY.

Your prayers are requested for the soul of FRANCIS J. POWERS, of Cranford, New Jersey, who died Dec. 20, 1959. Frank, former resident of Cambridge, was an executive of the Esso Standard Oil Co.

DR. DANIEL H. O'LEARY, President of Lowell State Teachers College, was elected last October President of the New England Teacher Preparation Association.

On October 1, 1959, Pope John the Twenty-Third elevated to the rank of Domestic Prelate the Rt. Rev. JOHN F. FEENEY, pastor of Sts. Peter and Paul's Church, South Boston. Rt. Rev. J. JOSEPH RYAN had earlier received the same honors from His Holiness.

We ask your prayers for the mother of NICK DESALVO who died last September.

The class extends its sympathy to the family of Mr. and Mrs. NEIL SCANLON (Continued on Page 15)

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THE CHALLENGE

Dear Alumni:

The many needs in the growth of Boston College have challenged the devotion and generosity of our Alumni. Without fail, the challenge has been accepted and conquered—certainly, a wonderful tribute to the Fund Council, Class Supervisors, Agents, and those who gave. But the giving involves about 35% of our Alumni during any particular year. Why don't the other 65% give?

I know that 15% or 20% for one reason or other cannot give. Another 20% are "nevers"—they never join, and never give to causes. They will probably not read this letter or even the magazine. But what about that other 25% who *can* give and don't? How to convince them to participate?

They will read this magazine, the article on the Senior Program, and this letter. They understand the needs of Boston College, are interested and devoted, but do not react.

To them I put the challenge of the Seniors. Latest reports indicate that they may reach 90% participation of the Class. If this 25% who are convinced that they should help but just don't get around to sending their checks, respond with our regular 35%, our participation can reach 60% this year. This is the year to do it. The college's needs are many as it approaches its Hundredth year. Industry and Foundations are interested but their standard question is, "What are the Alumni doing?" They'll help if you give.

You have always set an example for our undergraduates. Now they are setting a pace for you. Will you accept the challenge?

Boston College needs *you* to help it fulfill its mission of educating the deserving student. Be a part by mailing your contribution regardless of size now.

Yours Truly,

JOHN J. GRIFFIN
Fund Chairman

WELCOME TO ALUMNAE

Dear Alumnae:

It is with great pleasure that I take this opportunity on behalf of the Alumni Association, to extend a most cordial welcome to our Alumnae as the newest members of the ever growing body of the Boston College Alumni Association.

For many years now, Boston College has had women students and graduates in the Schools of Nursing, and Social Work. In recent years, the School of Education on the campus has included many future members of the teaching profession among its women students. As Alumnae, you have been part of the College as students, and have enjoyed your own Alumnae Association activities as graduates.

On April 25th of this year, the beautiful new School of Nursing Building, Cushing Hall, was dedicated by His Eminence, Richard Cardinal Cushing, whose generosity made possible these magnificent new facilities. With the influx of these student nurses, the presence of women on the campus became even more evident, and it became obvious that these future graduates of Boston College would add a great deal to the growth of the College and all alumni activities.

The tremendous growth of Boston College, especially since the war years, both in the enlargement of the student body and the terrific expansion of the campus buildings, and other facilities, has brought about many changes in college life at the Heights which would surprise most of our older graduates. Not the least of these changes is the sight of numerous members of the fair sex upon the campus scene, a change which the opposite members of the undergraduate body find most welcome.

The Alumni Association has become a fully organized and growing unit within the past decade, and does enjoy the support of the vast majority of its Alumni, its Clubs, and Classes. We look now to our Alumnae to join with us to foster that growth, to enliven the spirit of the Alumni and to work with us towards the goal of a greater Boston College.

Therefore, I say again, welcome Alumnae.

Most Sincerely,

JOSEPH MCKENNEY
Alumni President

SPECIAL REPORT

The following sixteen page report was prepared by Editorial Projects for Education, Inc., in collaboration with more than 350 alumni organizations in the United States and Canada.

It reviews the status of the alumnus, the alumna and the individual relationships to their respective Alma Mater in the light of today's changing trends in education.

Questions have been posed in this Article which are of vital concern to matters of education—perhaps you might find the answer to your questions about alumni in the following article.

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